



## **PATENT**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Wail Refai et al. Serial No.: 09/754,490 Filed: January 4, 2001 Group Art Unit: 2667 Examiner: Blanche Wong Confirmation No.: 2897

Title: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR SOFT HANDOFF AND OTHER DIVERSITY COMMUNICATION USING BASE STATIONS SUPPORTING COMMON RADIO

CONFIGURATIONS

Date: April 21, 2005

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## AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicant provides the present Amendment to address the issues raised in the Office Action mailed January 25, 2005.

It is not believed that an extension of time and/or additional fee(s), including fees for additional claims, are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. In the event, however, that an extension of time is necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such an extension is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any additional fees believed to be due in connection with this paper may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

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